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In the Application of:

Richard Rubin, et al.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In regard to the above identified application:

- 1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - Transmittal Letter (1 sheet);
 - Response to Office Action mailed May 4, 2006 (13 sheets);
 - Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 sheets);
 - \bowtie IDS Form 1449 (1 sheet);
 - 4 cited references;
 - Return Receipt Postcard.
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